

## Mississippi Trauma Advisory Committee (MTAC) Meeting Minutes

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dr. Duncan Donald (Chair), Dr. Hugh Gamble, Mr. Clyde Deschamp, Mr. Walter Grace, Dr. Kendall McKenzie, Mr. Jonathan Wilson, Mr. David

Grayson, Ms. Amber Kyle, Dr. Pete Avara, Mr. Wade Spruill

**Members Absent:** 

MSDH Staff Present: Mr. Jim Craig, Mr. David Hall, Ms. Teletha Johnson, Ms. Tammy Wells, Ms. Margaret Cooper, Ms. Lynnette Harper

Visitors Present: Ms. Hope Ladner, Ms. Brandy Vance, Mr. Scott Stinson, Mr. Jimmy McManus, Ms. Cherri Rickels, Ms. Donna Grisham, Mr. Norman Miller, Ms. Maggie

Woolley, Mr. Ryan Wilson, Mr. Michael Albrecht, Mr. Van White, Ms. Gail Thomas, Mr. David Bonner and Ms. Anita East

COMMITTEE CHAIR: W. Duncan Donald, MD FACILITATOR: David Hall, MA, NRP, CHP

CALL TO ORDER TIME: 10:00 a.m.

DATE: 26 September 2018

PLACE: MSDH Cobb Auditorium/Osborne Building

MINUTES OF THIS MEETING:		Minutes: [ ] Approved; [ ] Not Approved; [ ] Distributed by E-mail			
TOPIC	MAIN POINTS OF DISCUSSION/CONCLUSIONS	RECOMMENDATIONS/ACTION	RESPONSIBLE	F/U	
			PARTY	Date	
	Welcome and Intr	oductions			
Welcome	Called to order				
<ul> <li>Dr. Donald</li> </ul>	Welcomed all present				
Review of minutes	M-S-P				
of the previous	<ul> <li>Motion to accept – Dr. McKenzie</li> </ul>				
meeting: 12 July	<ul> <li>Second – Dr. Gamble</li> </ul>				
2018	All in favor				
Dr. Donald	Acknowledged and thanked Dr. Avara for his long service as				
Mr. Hall	MTAC chair – he has stepped down as chair but will				
	continue on as a member				
	OLD BUSINESS & STANDING REPORTS				
BACS Update	Mr. Hall thanked BACS staff for all they do to make these meetings				
Mr. Hall	productive and successful				
	Mr. Hall provided a report on recent activities				
	- Chapter 2 Trauma Rules and Regulations, which was				
	approved at the last MTAC meeting on JUL 12 2018 is				



	scheduled to go to the BOH for consideration on OCT 10		
	2018		
	Mr. Hall reported that 5 Level III trauma centers were approved for		
	continuing designation at said level at the last MTAC meeting and		
	that the SHO had subsequently approved of said designation for		
	each; designation letters sent		
	Mr. Hall reported that MTAC would be reviewing 1 application for		
	continuing designation today		
	Mr. Hall spoke to the implementation of the new, web-based trauma		
	registry		
	- He noted that the implementation continues to move		
	forward		
	- He recognized UMMC and Ms. Amber Kyle, who has been		
	very helpful in the implementation process		
	- Ms. Kyle volunteered to be a test site for data entry into the		
	new, web-based platform; working to assist in identifying		
	issues with the new platform so that the issues could be		
	resolved in the test environment		
	- The issues identified were communicated to Digital		
	Innovations, Inc.		
	- Mr. Hall noted that there were plans for user training in the		
	near future; dates forthcoming		
	Mr. Hall provided information as to the status of the 1 <sup>st</sup> FY19 TCR		
	Administrative Payments and forthcoming TCTF Distribution		
	- ADMIN Payments have been sent since the last MTAC		
	meeting		
	- HORNE has provided the Report and the TCR should be		
	receiving the distribution checks in the next 45 days		
BACS Data Report	BACS request for Ms. Amber Kyle to present a report on UMMC	Ms. Kyle	Closed
•	Trauma Activation	·	
	- Ms. Kyle presented the PPT and talk on UMMC Trauma		
	Activation (presentation copied to file)		
State Medical	Dr. Donald reported that both CEC and PI did meet this quarter		
Director Report:			
CEC/PI			
Dr. Donald			



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CEC	Dr. Donald reported that the CEC discussed the changes in trauma activation criteria beginning MAR 1 2018, with specific attention to the activation of older patients, who are taking anticoagulants, and who have fallen  - CEC has requested additional data and will make a recommendation on this matter		Dr. Donald	Next Meeting
	Dr. Donald noted plans for an upcoming trauma advocacy day to be at the Legislature during the upcoming legislative session	Follow-up and provide information to the membership as to the date and time for the proposed event	Dr. Donald	Next Meeting
	Dr. Donald noted that the Rules and Regulations Subcommittee has begun discussing the prospect of changing the TNCC requirement for Level I trauma centers; this matter will be taken up as upcoming Rules and Regulations Subcommittee and CEC meetings			
PI	Dr. Donald provided an overview of current PI activities:  - Reviewing and tracking data regarding deaths, survivors, transfers and transfer delays  - Reviewing trends within the region to determine best practices that could be shared related to patients expired at Level III/IV; are deaths related to severity of injury, etc.?  - Reviewing patterns in/out of regions (how to determine the time of transfer and differentiate if time waiting is in facilities)  - Requesting information regarding EMS wait times in facilities (Dr. Deschamp states EMS has a group pulled together to review this matter)			
MHA Mr. Roberson	Mr. Roberson was present and represented MHA today at MTAC; he spoke to the following points:  - Stated MHA plans to address the issue of trauma funding with Legislature  - Noted that the Trauma Advocacy Day at the Legislature would likely be either January 16 <sup>th</sup> or 30 <sup>th</sup>			
MATA Ms. Thomas	Ms. Thomas provided an update for MATA  - States MATA meets on quarterly  O Stated that the regions are seeing an increase in requests from the subcommittees for data for reports  O States that the regions feel that data should come from the "state"	Mr. Hall noted that the BACS is always glad to produce said reports  - Provided the historical context for subcommittee data requests  - In the past, and increasingly the regions had offered to provide data	BACS/	Closed



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Committee Reports	<ul> <li>States that when they run their reports the data is inconsistent from the state data reports</li> <li>States that data is more consistent when provided by the "state"</li> <li>States that MATA would like for all data to be run by the state</li> </ul> Ms. Kyle, chair of the subcommittee, provided the update:	and stated that they could get EMS data associated with completing said reports easier that the state  There was some discussion about the necessity of the regions providing regional data for the State PI meeting (this is a contract deliverable)  Ms. Kyle stated that the issue of inconsistent data is essentially an issue of training and asked: couldn't the regions provide training on the registry for their users in their regions?  Dr. Donald noted there seems to be a		
Rules and Regulations	<ul> <li>Met JUL 10</li> <li>Next meeting in OCT</li> <li>Have forwarded two issues to CEC: TNCC requirements and repatriation of trauma patients</li> <li>Discussed the following briefly: geriatric guidelines and registry validation process</li> <li>TCTF task group – plan to meet to make recommendation</li> </ul>	concern from the lower level hospitals about the prospect of potential repatriation - And there may not be a real desire among our stakeholders to move forward with implementing repatriation at the statewide level		
Functionality	Dr. Deschamp, chair of the subcommittee, provided the update  - Need to look at the acuity level of interfacility transports			
Burn Subcommittee	<ul> <li>Mr. Galtelli, chair of the subcommittee, provided the update</li> <li>Posed the question as to status of burn destination guidelines</li> <li>States there is a need for pediatric burn guidelines</li> <li>Talks about death reporting for burn patients</li> <li>States that he will provide the Burn Dashboard developed in partnership with BACS at the next MTAC</li> <li>States we need to better understand specific metrics, i.e. burn transfers and number of times patient is transferred (in-state or out of state)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>System of Care plan to be sent to Dr.         Donald and to next MTAC meeting         (to provide for the development of             burn destination guidelines)     </li> <li>Copy of dashboard to MTAC January         meeting</li> </ul>	Mr. Galtelli Mr. Hall	Next meeting
Trauma Registry Subcommittee	Mr. McManus, chair of the subcommittee, provided the update - Noted that the CEC is requesting data on anticoagulated older adults with SHF	Spreadsheet of data regarding anticoagulated older adults, same	Mr. McManus	Next meeting



	- Noted that these patients are not always otherwise entered	height falls to be sent to CEC next		
	into the registry (Ms. Kyle states very 1st criteria for patient	meeting.		
	to be entered into registry is that the patient must have an	-		
	injury code)			
	- (Dr. Donald stated that to date tracking on this matter has			
	been limited to the Gulf Coast and the Southeast region)			
NEW BUSINESS				
Replication of	Ms. Kyle states UMMC has a 2 year trauma fellow, who could take		Ms. Kyle/ BACS	Ongoing
Arkansas Trauma	on running lead on this study			
Study	<ul> <li>Dr. Donald states he agrees and ready to begin</li> </ul>			
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Adjourned to				
<b>Executive Session</b>				
ADJOURNMENT: 11:47 a.m. Next Meeting: January 22, 2019 MINUTES RECORDED BY: Mr. David Hall				